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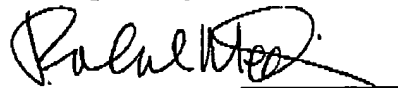
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Claims 1-8 (Group I) are directed to cell targeting vectors and the use thereof for gene therapy, vaccination therapy or diagnostics. Claims 9 and 10 (Group VI) are directed to the use of a cell targeting vector of Group I for therapy of T-cell-associated diseases. Groups I and VI are linked to form a single general inventive concept, and thus Applicants respectfully request that claims 1-8 (Group I) and claims 9 and 10 (Group VI) be examined together.

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